

SEPTEMBER 2022 - JUNE 2023



INTERPRETIVE OUTREACH PROGRAM

**Living History Field Trips &
Classroom Presentations
for 3rd and 4th Grade**

For almost 40 years, the City of Ventura's Interpretive Outreach Program has offered teachers and students interactive educational programs at local historic sites and in the classroom.

These programs align with the California History & Social Science curriculum and content standards.

During a living history field trip or classroom presentation, students are actively engaged as they learn through hands-on experience. These programs aim to nurture a life-long appreciation of our cultural history.

**VUSD &
City of Ventura Schools**
Registration begins April 20, 2022

ALL OTHER SCHOOLS
Registration begins April 27, 2022



View the brochure and download the registration form at
www.cityofventura.ca.gov/Interpretive

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

View our brochure online at www.cityofventura.ca.gov/interpretive or get a printed copy from your principal's office.

Requests are booked on a first-come, first-served basis.

Email your request form (one form per teacher) to:
InterpretiveOutreach@cityofventura.ca.gov

Subject line as follows:

"Interpretive Outreach Request for [add your school's name]."

We do not accept registration by phone or FAX.
However, you may print and mail the form to:
**Interpretive Outreach Program, 501 Poli St.,
Room 226, Ventura, CA 93001.**

April 20, 2022: Open registration for Ventura Unified School District & City of Ventura schools.

April 27, 2022: Open registration for all other schools.

September 2022: Programs begin for the 2022-2023 season.

Payments for all programs delivered between **September 6, 2022 - April 7, 2023** are due **within 30 days** following the program.

- A late fee will be charged (per program) for a payment received more than 30 days after a program (with all payments due by **May 11, 2023**).
- **31-45 days (\$15); 46-60 days (\$30); over 60 days (\$45).**

Please note: payments for late spring programs between **April 10 - June 16, 2023** are also due by **May 11, 2023**. Any program that is not paid by that date will incur a \$45 late fee.

CANCELLATION & RESCHEDULING POLICY

If you must cancel your program, please let us know as soon as possible. There is a \$5 charge for rescheduling a program if notification is received less than 10 days from the program date. There is a \$10 charge for all cancellations received within 10 days of the program date. If you forget to attend, do not show, or give fewer than 5 business days' notice for a cancellation, there is a 50% charge of the original program fee.

YOU MAY CONTACT US AT:

Interpretive Outreach Scheduler
interpretiveoutreach@cityofventura.ca.gov
805-677-3961

OR

Interpretive Outreach Coordinator
greyes@cityofventura.ca.gov
805-658-4728



Program Descriptions - Living History Field Trips

Gold Rush: 3rd and 4th Grade

Gold Pan Pete and Strike-It-Rich Sam, our own '49ers, will share lively gold tales and amazing facts! Students will learn where the first claim was, how it was mined, and the impact gold had on Ventura County and California.



75-MINUTE PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Gold mining games
- Songs and stories around the campfire
- A slide show illustrating the history of gold mining in California
- Mining camp general store activities and games
- Panning for gold

COST

Olivas Adobe

\$175 per classroom

(not to exceed maximum classroom amount of 35 students)

School Site

\$200 per classroom

(not to exceed maximum classroom amount of 35 students)

NON-RESIDENT FEE

Add \$17.50 for program at Olivas Adobe

Please note that programs taught at school sites are only available to Ventura Unified Title 1 schools. Programs taught at schools require a room with a large open space and an area to project slides. Access to the room is needed an hour before the program for setup and 45 minutes after the program for cleanup. Additionally, access to a nearby outdoor area with a water spicket is required for our gold panning activity.

Olivas Adobe Historic Rancho: 4th Grade

The California Rancho Period will come to life as you hear the story of wealthy rancher Don Raymundo Olivas, his family, and the expansive adobe home he built between 1847 and 1849. Students will tour an authentic adobe home and try their hand at typical rancho chores.



2 ¼ HOUR PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Adobe brick making
- Rancho tool use
- Roping
- Corn grinding
- Tortilla making

COST

\$350 per classroom
(not to exceed maximum classroom amount of 35 students)

NON-RESIDENT FEE

add \$35 per program

OPTION: Two teachers can attend consecutive Olivas Adobe programs on the same day by adding two Gold Rush programs at the site.

INTERPRETIVE OUTREACH PROGRAM (IOP) REQUEST FORM

PROGRAM BROCHURE: www.cityofventura.ca.gov/Interpretive



- **TO REGISTER: download and save this form.**
- Once completed: Email form (preferred) to:
interpretiveoutreach@cityofventura.ca.gov;
we will reply to your request within 3-5 business days
OR
Print & mail form to:
Interpretive Outreach, 501 Poli St. Room 226, Ventura, CA 93001
- Of note, registration by phone or fax is not available.
- Submit **ONE** request form per teacher.

CONTACTS

SCHEDULER

PHONE: 805-677-3961

EMAIL: interpretiveoutreach@cityofventura.ca.gov

COORDINATOR

GINA REYES

PHONE: 805-658-4728

EMAIL: greyes@cityofventura.ca.gov

Teacher			Emergency Cell Phone # (for day of program)			
Grade: 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/>	School Email			School Phone #	()	X
School Name or Group			School District			
Indicate Special Needs	<input type="checkbox"/> ESL % _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing <input type="checkbox"/> Learning <input type="checkbox"/> Mobility Impaired					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____					
DATES YOU CANNOT SCHEDULE PROGRAMS (MONTH/DAY) • List in-service, holiday, vacation, assembly, testing dates • Consider adjusting recess for some presentations:						
<div>FOR SCHOOL SITE PROGRAMS ONLY</div> <div> <div>Student Arrival time</div> <div></div> <div>Dismissal time</div> <div></div> <div>Lunch from _____ to _____</div> </div>						

Indicate number of field trips/class presentations desired

If planning Olivas Adobe/Gold Rush double header, please list additional teacher's name:

Topics	Programs Selection	1st Prog.	2nd Prog.	Preferred Months by Priority (1, 2, or 3)									
				Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
Living History Field Trips	<input type="checkbox"/> Olivas Adobe	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:30 AM	<input type="checkbox"/> 11:15 AM										
	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Rush	<input type="checkbox"/> 9:30 AM	<input type="checkbox"/> 12:15 PM										
Classroom Presentations	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Rush at School*	<input type="checkbox"/> 10:30 AM	<input type="checkbox"/> 12:30 PM										

*Please see Gold Rush description for school site program requirements.